

FACULTY COUNCIL
Tuesday, January 27, 2026
3:30 – 5:15 pm
Executive Boardroom (2390), University Capitol Centre

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approvals
 - A. Meeting Agenda **Decision**
 - B. Faculty Council Minutes (November 18, 2025) **Decision**
 - C. Draft Faculty Senate Agenda (February 10, 2026) **Decision**
 - D. Committee Appointments (Roxanna Curto, Chair, **Decision**
Committee on Committees)
 - Matthew Dannenberg (School of Earth, Environment,
and Sustainability) to replace James Wo (Sociology &
Criminology) on the Faculty Senate, Spring 2026
- III. New Business
 - A. Laura McLeran, Vice President for Administrative Affairs and Senior
Advisor to the President
 - B. Athletics Update: Gary Pierce, Chair, Presidential Committee on Athletics
and Liz Hollingworth, Faculty Athletics Representative
 - C. Principles of Teaching at UI (Craig Just)
 - D. **Executive Session:***
 - Regents Award for Faculty Excellence Recipients
 - Michael J. Brody Award for Faculty Excellence in Service Recipients
 - Other topics
 - E. President's Report (Craig Just)
- IV. From the Floor
- V. Announcements
 - The next Faculty Senate meeting will be Tuesday, February 10, 3:30 – 5:15
pm, Senate Chamber, Old Capitol.
 - The next Faculty Council meeting will be Tuesday, March 10, 3:30-5:15
pm, Executive Boardroom (2390), University Capitol Centre.
- VI. Adjournment

***During Executive Session, only Councilors and invited guests remain in the room. Everyone else will be asked to leave until the executive session ends.**